

Page 9, line 14, after "latching." insert the following new paragraph:

The radial distance between the color

A2 band 114 and the longitudinal center axis of the tongue is larger than the radial distance between the axis and all portions of the outer circumferential surface of the tongue 118 situated between the color band and a free end 130 of the tongue, as is clear from Fig. 5. As a result, the color band can easily be viewed by an operator who is located to the left of the bushing 112 in Fig. 5 while applying the terminator.

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 1-12, 14, 16 and 17, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Amend claim 13 as follows:

A3 B2 13. (Amended) In combination, an electrical terminator and an electrical bushing component, said terminator including a socket rigidly fixed thereto, and said bushing component including a tongue receivable in said socket to electrically interconnect said terminator and bushing, said tongue and socket including a latching [means] mechanism for positively latching said bushing component and terminator together when said tongue longitudinally enters said socket to a prescribed depth, a color band formed on [one of said terminator and bushing component and arranged to] a portion of an outer circumferential surface of said tongue, said portion arranged to enter said socket and be radially covered completely by a covering portion of [the other of said terminator and bushing component] said socket when said tongue enters said socket to said prescribed